

MR. FOLK PREDICTS WORLD FEDERATION

Expresses Opinion Universal
Peace Would Follow Union
of the Americas.

ADDRESSES CREDIT MEN AT BALTIMORE MEETING

Chief Counsel of Interstate Com-
merce Commission Also Gives Views
of Military Preparedness.

BALTIMORE, Md., November 23.—Joseph W. Folk, chief counsel of the interstate commerce commission, speaking here last night before the Association of Credit Men, suggested that world peace would follow a federation of the Americas, and that the federation would come one of the European countries and then a federation of the world.

"Men and women here tonight," said Mr. Folk, "may live to see the time when the world will be governed by right instead of might, by humanity and justice instead of force. Men and women here tonight may live to see the time when the idea of public right will be controlling throughout the earth and when the peace of the world will be kept by an international police force and an international navy under the direction of a parliament of the United States of the World."

Suggests First Step.

One of the first steps in that direction should be the establishment of a federation of the Americas. Such a federation would place all of the twenty-one American republics back of the Monroe doctrine, supplying mutual self-protection and set a precedent for the formation of a federation of Europe, and a federation of Europe and of the Americas would follow. The federation of the Americas would result in permanent peace and ultimate disarmament. Until the rights of the common man enforced by the common will through federated action have no option but to have an adequate army and navy for defensive purposes.

The mission of America is to uplift mankind, not by the bayonet and bullet, but by holding aloft in peaceful hands these ideals which interest the hearts of all the earth are turned with anxiety on us as the only depository of the sacred fire of brotherhood now in danger of being extinguished in the flood of human blood being shed across the seas.

Favors "Adequate" Preparedness.

"We hear much of preparedness against foreign invasion, and it is proper that while the nations yet murmur for blood and conquest we should be adequately prepared for defense. The same spirit should prevail to protect the nation from domestic enemies. The most pernicious of our domestic foes are those who would by corrupt and criminal methods prostitute the spirit of our institutions and subvert the public functions of government to their private greed, thwart efforts for just and necessary legislation, and violate the administration of law and justice."

"These enemies must be vanquished, not by bullets, but by ballots, and there may be as much patriotism in the judicious use of one as the other."

JUDGE G. C. MERRICK DEAD.

Succumbs at Age of 77 at Home
Near Upper Marlboro, Md.

UPPER MARLBORO, Md., November 23.—Judge George C. Merrick, retired, of the seventh judicial circuit of Maryland, died at his home near this town yesterday of acute indigestion and heart trouble, at the age of seventy-seven years. He was attacked last Friday with indigestion and steadily grew worse.

Judge Merrick was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Judge John P. Brooke in 1879, and was afterwards elected by the republicans. Judge Merrick entered Company G, 1st Maryland Confederate Cavalry, in the civil war as lieutenant, and served throughout the conflict.

After the war he returned to Charles county, and was elected state's attorney of that county on the democratic ticket. Afterward he removed to Prince Georges county and ran on the independent ticket and was elected state's attorney of that county. Some years later Judge Merrick became a republican. In the latter years of his life he was an ardent advocate of temperance.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church. The active pallbearers will be Frank Farran of Prince Frederick, Calvert county, Adrian Posey and Walter J. Mitchell of La Plata, Charles county; James C. Rogers of Hyattsville, Prince Georges county; and C. C. Magruder of Glendale. The honorary pallbearers will be Judges John P. Briscoe, R. Harris Camilleri and Fillmore Beall of the seventh judicial circuit, and Messrs. Trueman Cross, Horace Crozier, Frank Duvall and W. S. Ryan. Judge Merrick is survived by his widow and five children—Mrs. J. K. Roberts, Mrs. Julia Tisdale, wife of Lieut. J. R. Tisdale of the navy, Miss Katherine and Miss Mary W. Merrick and George B. Merrick.

Public Library Open Thursday.

The Public Library, it was announced today will be kept open Thanksgiving day the usual hours—that is, the central library will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and the Takoma Park branch from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.



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MRS. McADOO'S DRIVER IS FINED FOR SPEEDING

Maryland Laws Said to Have Been
Broken on Way From Baltimore
Last Wednesday.

A fine of \$25 and costs on the charge of speeding was placed by Justice John Gonnell of Savage, Md., last night on Eddie Hayden, who drove the car in which was Mrs. William G. McAdoo, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury and daughter of President Wilson, which was halted by a constable last Wednesday.

At first Justice Gonnell had determined to summon Mrs. McAdoo and her whole party before him to answer the charge. The matter was adjusted and Hayden appeared alone. He pleaded guilty and paid the fine.

Motor Constable Luther Jones, who chased the car of the President's daughter and laid the charge, was apologetic yesterday. He said he was merely laying a trap for the jockies from the Bowie race tracks. He didn't know whose car it was until he had overtaken it and was asking names to issue the summons. He exonerated Hayden from suspicion of trying to evade arrest.

The speeding took place Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. McAdoo and two women companions were going to Baltimore. Jones said the car was making something like fifty miles an hour when he began the chase, though the speed had later settled down to about twenty-five miles. He followed the machine from Savage, about fourteen miles from Baltimore, almost to the city lines.

The hearing first was set for Monday, but was postponed at the request of Mrs. McAdoo. The fine disposes of the case.

LIEUT. CATTS MAY NOT LOSE SHATTERED ARM

Mary Johnson, Shot by Farley Carter, Expected to Die—Man Also in Critical Condition.

Lieut. John E. Catts, head of the vice squad, who was shot and a hero in his left arm shattered while trying to prevent a homicide Sunday night, may not lose his arm. Dr. Henry Penno Sawtelle, police surgeon, has charge of the patient and visits him at frequent intervals. It has been ascertained that the lieutenant's skull was not fractured, and the scalp wounds he sustained at the hands of Farley Carter, colored, who started the trouble, are healing.

It was said at the hospital this morning that the circulation in the lieutenant's wounded arm was good. None of the more important blood vessels was severed, and physicians think the danger of blood poisoning is not great. An X-ray picture will disclose the extent of the damage done to the bone.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, colored, who was pursued by Carter from a buggy in front of her lunchroom at 265 12th street to Dr. Francis Thomas' stable on Ohio avenue and shot, probably will live but a short time, and Carter also is in a critical condition.

Harry Matthews, night manager of the stable in which most of the shooting was done, has asked the police to make an effort to recover his pistol. His weapon disappeared Sunday night, he stated, and no trace of it has been found.

MARYLAND COLORED TEACHERS IN SESSION

Montgomery and Prince Georges
County Pedagogues Conduct
Their Institutes.

Teachers of colored schools of Montgomery county and Prince Georges county, Md., are in session today at teachers' institutes. The Montgomery county institute is being held at Howard University, while instructors of the schools of Prince Georges county are meeting at the Fairmount Heights School, Fairmount Heights, Md. Both are to extend through tomorrow.

Garnet C. Wilkinson, principal of Armstrong Manual Training School of this city, was one of the principal speakers at the Montgomery Institute today. Later the teachers visited the school and saw how work is being carried on there. This afternoon C. M. Thomas of the Miner Normal School, Miss Lucy E. Moten, principal of that school, and Misses Mary Wilson and Ada M. Henderson are to be speakers.

Papers on the teaching of grammar were read at the Prince Georges Institute today by Mrs. Sadie G. Charity of the Lanham School, J. E. Diggs, principal of the Upper Marlboro School, and Miss Matilda F. Glaseco, principal of the Woodville School. This afternoon P. B. Williams and Miss A. D. Bell of the schools of this city are to take part in the discussions at this institute, their subjects being mathematics and history, respectively.

Demand for Tilefish Exceeds Supply.

The demand for tilefish is now ten times greater than the supply, according to Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce. He said the demand had been created in less than a month through the advertising methods of the Department of Commerce, which he held to be excellent proof that it pays to advertise. The supply will be rapidly increased, he said, unless the gulf stream does the unexpected and kills off the fish as it did years ago.

ACQUITTAL OF ADMIRAL LITTLE IS DISAPPROVED

Secretary Daniels Disagrees With
Findings of General
Court-Martial.

Secretary Daniels has disapproved the findings of the general court-martial which acquitted Rear Admiral William N. Little, retired, of charges of negligence in connection with the inspection of the machinery of submarine K-2. No new trial will be ordered, as under the law a verdict of acquittal is final and cannot be altered or set aside except by the court itself on reconsideration.

Secretary's Statement.

In a statement on the subject Secretary Daniels said: "The court after mature deliberation most fully and honorably acquitted Rear Admiral Little of the charges. The department is unable to concur with the court or, after careful review of the evidence, to ascertain the reasons governing it in its acquittal. In view, however, of the impracticability and expense attending the reconvening of the court, and the fact that Rear Admiral Little is now no longer on inspection duty, and of the improbability of his method being followed by other officers on inspection duty, and in view of his admitted personal and official integrity, the department has disapproved the findings and acquittal without reconvening the court for reconsideration thereof."

Reports on Cotton Ginned.

Cotton ginned prior to November 14 amounted to 8,777,794 running bales, including 2,582 round bales and 69,477 bales of Sea Island, the census bureau has announced.

TO RECEIVE HER ENGINES.

First Navy Motor Ship Will Be Towed
to New York.

The fuel ship Maumee, first motor ship to be constructed for the United States Navy, will be towed by the repair ship Prometheus from Mare Island navy yard, where she was built, to the New York yard, where her diesel engines will be installed. Navy orders today direct that the trip be started about January 15 next and that the Prometheus, also constructed at the Pacific coast yard, be assigned to duty with the Atlantic fleet at its conclusion. The repair ship is equipped with special towing machinery.

The Maumee has a displacement of 14,500 tons, will have a speed of fourteen knots with her oil engines and will be able to carry 7,554 gallons of fuel oil. If the Panama canal is blocked it will be necessary to go by way of the Straits of Magellan.

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